



# The Cumberland News



# Reds Liberate 150 More Villages

## Eight Big Labor Units Criticize New Tax Measure

### CIO Takes Lead In Opposition

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The greater part of the material is being provided by the British government. Because of the manpower shortage, American construction units are assisting, supplying the bulk of constructional labor for one airfield and depot out of every seven being built for the American air force.

For the entire construction program, the respective efforts of the United States and the United Kingdom were placed in this proportion by the news service:

United States, \$40,000,000; United Kingdom, \$2,420,000,000.

## Army's Draft Call for January To Be Twice WMC Latest Figure

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28 (AP)—The army's draft call for January is to be twice the figure the War Manpower Commission has been expecting, it was learned today, and as a result the combined army-navy call will approximate 300,000 men.

This is about the present monthly figure, as contrasted with previous indications that calls would begin dropping after the first of the year.

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### Doktor Goebbels Peeved:

## German Propaganda Minister Shows Ire over Bombing of Nazi Capital

### Use of New Type of Fire Bombs Brings Sharp Protest and New Threat of Prompt Reprisals

LONDON, Nov. 18 (AP)—The destruction of one third of Berlin during the last week was accomplished in part by the use of a new-type incendiary bomb, it was intimated here today as the Nazi propaganda mouthpiece, Joseph Goebbels, defiantly cried out against the unloading of Berlin on personal incomes over \$3,000 a year.

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**WPB To Announce Production Figures**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28 (AP)—The War Production Board is about ready to take the "secret" label off many of its files, to help America's industry and to confound the enemy.

"Our production position is now strong that information concerning it will be of no aid or comfort to the enemy—quite the contrary," said Chairman Donald M. Nelson today in disclosing his decision that restrictions could safely be removed.

The Berlin radio claimed the capture of Kladan, a central Bosnian town, and said mopping up action against guerrillas concentrating near Gilina, Croatian town south of Zagreb, was making progress.

Some of the Dalmatian islands lying off Zara were mopped up and quantities of war material, largely of Italian origin, were captured, the broadcast went on.

**Restore Bare Services**

Stockholm, Nov. 28 (AP)—Neutral correspondents said today that Germany's officials have despaired of immediately rehabilitating the Reich capital, already a third destroyed, and likely are already performing the nation's administrative functions from other points of Germany.

The burned and blackened city's sirens were silent last night for the first time in six, but bomb-damaged Berliners, convinced that the decision to level their city was reached at the Moscow conference, expected even greater air-borne destruction to follow.

**Congress Seeking Election System**

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People with candles are considered extremely fortunate.

**Many Walk to Work**

One correspondent wrote that Berliners have started walking to work as early as 3 and 4 o'clock in the morning because of the stalled transport system. The streets are jammed until 6 p.m., he said, but after that, when the people throng into shelters for the night, they are deserted.

The people of Berlin, as in Hamburg and Cologne, write their names on pieces of ruins and send them to friends. "That is much more

than a personal message from a respondent.

The number of replacements, however, is one of the great question marks of the war, since it depends on how many casualties the services will suffer.

### Use of New Type of Fire Bombs Brings Sharp Protest and New Threat of Prompt Reprisals

## Liberator Drops 1,000-Pound Bomb On Jap Cruiser

### Explosion Wrecks Vessel in Channel

By MURLIN SPENCER  
SOUTHWEST PACIFIC ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Monday, Nov. 29 (AP)—A 1,000-pound bomb from a patrolling Liberator pierced the armor of a Japanese light cruiser and exploded inside in a spectacular nocturnal display to become the forty-ninth enemy warship sunk or damaged in the Northern Solomons during November.

The Liberator, on night reconnaissance Friday, sighted the cruiser near St. George Channel between New Britain and New Ireland islands in the Northern Solomons. Its bomb scored a direct hit.

**Ship Probably Sunk**

Despite the heavy explosion that followed, Gen. Douglas MacArthur did not claim the cruiser's destruction, although a spokesman said there was a bright flash of light with the explosion.

This action came as the Fifth and Thirteenth air forces struck heavily at the enemy in eight widely-separated areas of the Southwest Pacific warfront.

Planes from the South Pacific headquarters of Adm. William F. Halsey had their busiest day since the offensive against Bougainville began Nov. 1, making more than 200 sorties in which almost 200 tons of bombs were dropped without a loss. No enemy interception whatsoever was reported.

**1,000 Japanese Killed**

As for Bougainville, Halsey's spokesman reported that more than 1,000 Japanese were killed by artillery and infantry fire in a ten-day battle which brought the enemy to total in dead there from ground actions to more than 2,000.

American dead and wounded were around 1,000, the spokesman said. Three hundred of these were killed in an artillery duel.

Liberator bombers dropped around 300 five-hundred-pounds bombs on the Buka airstrip at the northern tip of Bougainville and Mitchell medium bombers followed a few hours later to bomb and strafe the 'drome. One enemy plane there was observed to bear a swastika on its tail.

A flight of fifty Mitchells dropped more than thirty tons of bombs on the Bonis airstrip on Buka.

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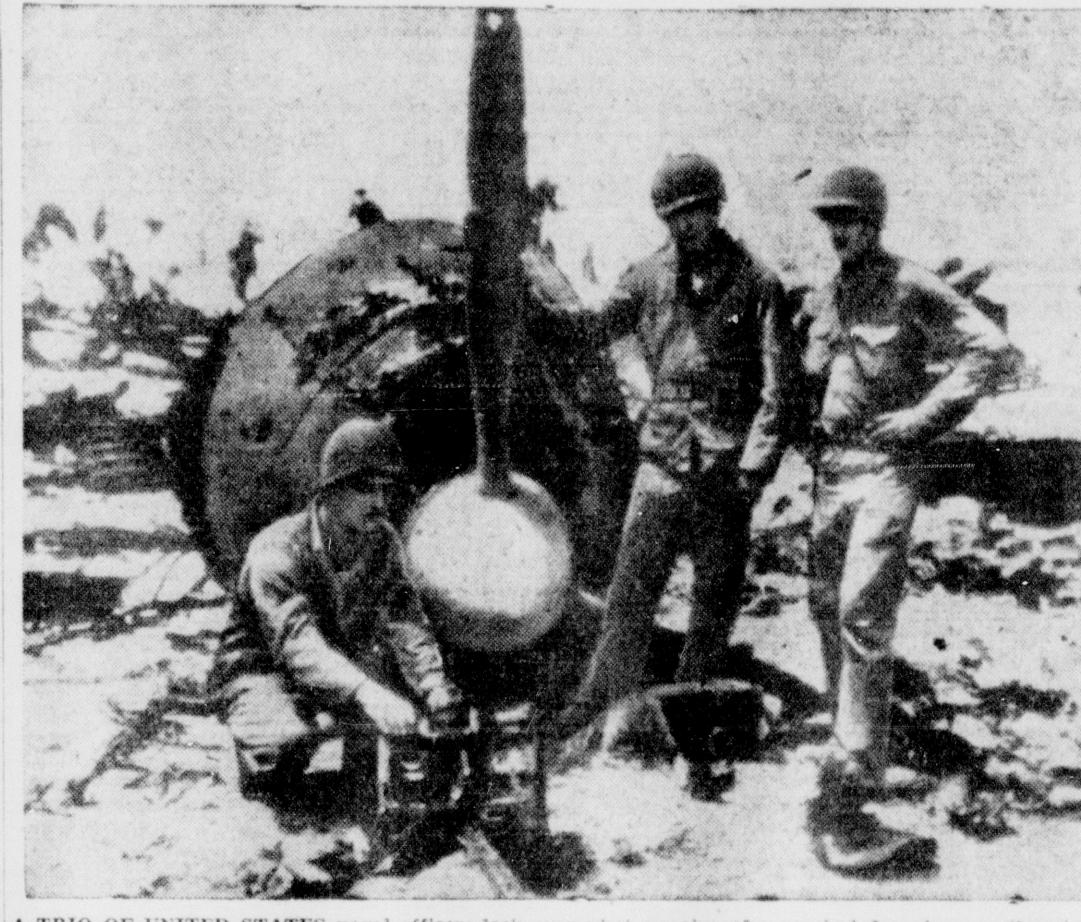
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## Officers Inspect Shattered Jap Plane



**TRIO OF UNITED STATES** naval officers look over what remains of a wrecked Jap plane on the airfield on Tarawa just after American forces had succeeded in wresting the island from the Japs. This photo, one of the first to arrive in the United States, gives a small idea of the ferocity of the fighting for the strategic outpost. Marine Corps officers say they paid the stiffer price in human life per square yard that was exacted in the history of the corps. The above are, l. to r.: Lt. Comdr. E. S. Keates, Chicago; Capt. R. F. Whitehead, Chicago; and Comdr. L. E. Tull, Albany, N. Y.

**China's Leaders May Join Allies In Conferences**

### Russia May Soon Battle Japanese

By ELTON C. FAY  
Associated Press War Analyst

Suggestions that China's leaders may meet at a conference table with the chiefs of the British, United States and Russian governments stir the keenest interest among those who watch the curious peace between the Soviets and the Japanese.

**1,000 Japanese Killed**

Today's Moscow communiqué told of the capture by the Soviets of twenty-four villages and death for 400 Germans along the lower reaches of the river, west of Gomel.

Napoleon suffered enormous losses in crossing the Berezina in 1812 in the retreat from Moscow. He crossed north of Borizov—some 125 miles northwest of the fighting today—but lost so heavily that his retreat from then on was virtually head-long flight. Napoleon's crossing began Nov. 26, 1812, ending the afternoon of the 28th.

Reports from overseas mention the likelihood that Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek may attend a meeting of Prime Minister Churchill, President Roosevelt and Marshal Stalin.

**Hard Problem for Allies**

## Latin American Charges Probed

### Republicans Seek Facts on Spending

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28 (AP)—A two-pronged checkup on Uncle Sam's dealings with his Latin American neighbors is in the making as a result of the bitterly disputed charges of Senator Butler (R-Neb) that the United States is being played for a profligate sucker.

Republican members of the Senate Appropriations committee, headed by Senator Nye of North Dakota, plan to enlarge the scope of an inquiry the committee ordered to Lend Lease operations to take special account of Butler's charges that this government has obligated more than \$6,000,000,000 for spending in Central and South American countries.

#### Committee Orders Probe

The Byrd Economy committee already has ordered an inquiry into operations carried on in Latin America by Nelson Rockefeller, coordinator of Inter-American affairs and the chairman, Senator Byrd (D-Va), said this investigation will be widened later to include other agencies.

Butler's charges that the Latin-Americans are taking our money and laughing at us brought a speedy reply from Vice President Wallace, who apologized for the "slur" he said the Nebraskan had cast on some of the Latin American governments. Butler replied last night that Wallace ought to have apologized "to the American taxpayers whose money is being wasted in Latin America."

#### Three Year Program

He said, however, that the \$6,000,000 covered a projected three-year program and included loans as well as actual grants and United States government outlays.

He said that in obtaining the figure he had been obliged to get them from individual agencies, adding that of course there was room for error in such methods. He complained, however, that no one agency had information on what others were doing, asserting that more than forty bureaus were active in Latin American countries.

## Soldiers' Vote

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comes within the scope of an order issued by Secretary of War Stimson July 24, 1942, that no individual on active duty thereafter could seek election or re-election to public office or take any active part in political management or campaigns.

#### Ban Later Relaxed

This action was later relaxed to permit a soldier to stand for re-election to an office he held prior to going into the army. However, War department approval is necessary and is granted only in cases where the duties of the office will not interfere with military activities and where "material hardships," such as loss of pension and retirement benefits, is involved.

Stassen, now in the navy, is prohibited from running for office by a regulation which states that while on active duty "officers and men will devote their whole time to naval duties and shall not engage in private employment, except in such cases as may be specifically authorized by the Bureau of Naval Personnel."

#### Position of Navy

The navy interprets this to ban personnel from campaigning or holding office while in the service. Nevertheless, Stassen's name has been entered formally in the Nebraska presidential primary and he has been endorsed as presidential timber by the Minnesota State Republican committee.

Some members point out that if either Stassen or MacArthur should elect to become active candidate, or if either is drafted as the Republican nominee, they might resign their commissions or ask for transfer to the inactive list. Army or navy permission for any such move would be required.

Neither, however, might wish to take such action and the question then would arise whether they could continue in active service while others campaigned for them.

The attitude of the services has not been made clear on that point but there is a bi-partisan feeling in Congress that any man who wants to run for president or is seriously advanced even over his own objections ought not to be placed at a disadvantage because he is in uniform.

## Nations Favor

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to air their views on Germany's fate.

#### Will Confine Germans

The several expressions here are interpreted to mean that the invaded nations will arrive at the peace conference ready to demand provisions that will strip Germany down to an economy that will provide nothing more than a living within her own borders.

Kertens said that as minister of economics, he already has had conversations with officials of the exile governments of Czechoslovakia, Poland and Belgium looking toward a production system in which the invaded countries can buy and sell among themselves, thereby passing up Germany from whom they have traditionally bought a great deal of manufactured products.

Committee reports, except for a few changes, are ready for adoption by the full council tomorrow, and the session is scheduled to end Wednesday.

## Japs Attempting To Take Changteh

CHUNGKING, Monday, Nov. 29 (AP)—Desperate Japanese attempts to capture the Changteh gateway to Changsha were reported today by the Chinese High Command.

The city's defenders, though pressed on all sides, were declared holding out against incessant artillery and air bombardment.

The Chinese said previously that they had surrounded a large force of Japanese in Northern Hunan province, the area in which Changteh is situated, and were fighting to liquidate them.

The high command charged the Japanese with using poison gas on thirteen occasions Friday, but said the Chinese had fought back and annihilated more than 2,000 of the invaders. Sunday, the enemy attack was blunted and Changteh still remained in Chinese hands.

## U. S. Fifth Army

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Some," extended their vital bridge-head.

#### Strong Air Support

Consolidation and strengthening of the Eighth's foothold across the river obstacle was facilitated by fine weather and the support of flocks of fighters and bombers which staged a day-long offensive against Japanese gun positions and roads.

Blasting a way for the Eighth army troops beyond the Sangro bridgehead, Allied bombers pounded positions 2,000 to 3,000 yards ahead of British lines.

The German air force was slightly more active on the Eighth army front with two small formations of Me-109's attacking in the morning and another seen in the central sector during the afternoon.

Strong aerial support also was given the Fifth army front.

The fiercest air battle of the Mediterranean war theater in recent weeks was fought by American Flying Fortresses and their P-38 Lightning escorts in bombing railway yards and a bridge at the Italian east coast port of Rimini. This force was set upon by thirty to fifty Messerschmitts and Fock-Wulfs.

Fortress gunners blasted down at least seven enemy planes in a twenty-minute scrap. Two Fortresses were lost.

The seven victims were the only enemy aircraft reported destroyed in all yesterday's widespread air operations. Allied losses for the day were five planes.

## German

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over Germany, totalled 155 which was the smallest loss since the 150 downed in March. The most costly month was August when 293 planes were lost in fourteen formidable attacks, among them two assaults on Berlin which alone accounted for 105 of the losses.

Goebbel's, speaking on "the most burning problem of them all," said the Allies were mistaken if they thought they could gain a "cheap victory" by casting fire and bombs upon German cities and again darkly threatened aerial reprisals against Britain "with interest and double interest."

#### New Threats by Germany

The Nazi propagandist, in a speech broadcast by the German DNB agency told the German people that "feverish industrial preparations for these reprisals" were being made day and night, and when "they crash down on Britain, the British people will be able to thank those who attack our peaceful cities under fog and darkness and rain fire, devastation, suffering and death on our women and children."

"After other great cities, it is now the German capital's turn," Goebbel's continued. "The enemy smothered it with high explosive and incendiary bombs, uploads masses of phosphorous canisters on its cultural monuments, hospitals, churches and workers' districts and gives triumphant expression to the hope that the population will not be able to endure this permanently but will collapse under the strain and thus finish the war."

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## Invasion of New Britain by U. S. Troops Expected within Few Days

By HAROLD STREETER  
Associated Press Staff Writer

The admiral whose fleet helped kick the Japanese out of the Aleutians in the cold, fog-bound areas of the North Pacific now has been handed the job of helping kick them out of tropical islands more than 4,000 miles to the southwest.

The man is Vice Adm. Thomas C. Kincaid, new commander of the Southwest Pacific fleet. His ships put the men ashore on Attu and Kiska. Any time now, they may be putting them ashore on New Britain's Eastern tip.

Something has been occurring with regularity on New Britain recently which was justifiably overshadowed by the death struggle American marines and soldiers in a jungle sector where the invaders are in no position to sweep over the island very fast. They advanced 800 yards there last week—after four days. In fact, as Associated Press war correspondent Spencer Davis pointed out in a dispatch from that sector, the big idea there may well be to set up a fighter strip 260 miles southeast of Rabaul.

So MacArthur is in the best position to open the invasion of New Britain, if he so chooses.

## Von Papen Reported On Peace Mission

STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN, Nov. 28 (AP)—The person of Franz von Papen, ace contact man in Hitler's entourage of diplomats, dropped in a world-wide circuit of rumors of peace negotiations today.

The Bern correspondent of Aftonbladet said a high German personage visited the Vatican on Nov. 26, and that it might be presumed to be the Catholic, von Papen, the German ambassador to Turkey.

The dispatch said it was reported in Switzerland that von Papen's recent trip from his embassy at Ankara to Berlin was not connected with Turkish affairs.

## Germany Treating Prisoners Better

NEW YORK, Nov. 28 (AP)—Germany's treatment of United Nations prisoners of war has improved considerably in the past twelve months because the Nazis apparently realize they face defeat. Sir William Kerr Fraser-Tyler, British Red Cross official, said today.

Sir William, former British minister at Kabul, Afghanistan, arrived at La Guardia field by clipper en route to Washington, where he will serve as permanent representative of the war organization of the British Red Cross.

## "Racial Tension" Alarms Biddle

BALTIMORE, Nov. 28 (AP)—Francis Biddle, United States attorney general, speaking at a meeting of the National Bar Association in Baltimore, told the assembled negro lawyers that he feared a recurrence of race rioting "at any moment."

Biddle declared that he was "profoundly disturbed by ever-growing racial tension." He listed five factors in the disturbed relationships—general war tension, bad housing, reduced police protection through manpower shortage, treatment of negro service men, and "contradiction between our profession of faith in democracy and our acts."

## 30,000 Protest Release of Mosley

LONDON, Nov. 28 (AP)—Thirty thousand persons demonstrated for more than an hour in Trafalgar Square today despite a steady drizzle in protest against the release of Sir Oswald Mosley, Britain's pre-war Fascist leader, from Holloway prison.

Factory workers and other members of labor groups circulated through the crowd bearing placards. Sir Oswald and Lady Mosley were released Nov. 19 and it was announced that the government's decision that the population will not be able to endure this permanently but will collapse under the strain and thus finish the war."

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## Michael Luft Weds Actress Lynn Bari

HOLLYWOOD, Nov. 28 (AP)—Screen actress Lynn Bari and Michael Sidney Luft, 28-year-old aircraft company test pilot, were married today by Superior Court Judge Edward R. Brand.

The 23-year-old Roanoke, Va., actress obtained her final divorce decree Friday from Walter Kane, an actor's agent.

## Captain James Stewart Arrives in Europe

LONDON, Nov. 28 (AP)—Capt. James Stewart, former movie star who commands a Liberator bomber squadron, has arrived in the European theater of operations, it was announced today by United States Eighth Air Force, headquarters.

## Rock Fishing Good in the Potomac

LEONARDSTOWN, Md., Nov. 28 (AP)—St. Mary's county fisherman reported today that rock fishing at the mouth of the Potomac river is good this season.

Burned tram cars stand amidst twisted rails and shattered streets, where they were caught when the alarm came."

The people of Berlin harbor no illusions regarding being spared further raids. On the contrary, they realize that the city is huge, and the Allies are not likely to cease their bombardment until they have done their worst.

## Yanks To Stay For Duration

### Christmas at Home Declared Impossible

BALTIMORE, Nov. 28 (AP)—A

former Maryland newspaper writer and photographer reported today from North Africa that families of American soldiers in that area should not expect their return home "at least for the duration of the European campaign."

Sgt. Norman W. Harrington of Easton, Md., former Associated Press photographer and correspondent of the Eastern Shore, said in a letter that many soldiers in that area had received letters from home expressing the opinion that the soldiers would be home by Christmas.

#### Saw Much Action

Harrington is now a photographer with the Signal Corps.

As a member of the AEF, he was among the first American troops to land in North Africa more than a year ago. He has seen much fighting and has had several narrow escapes.

From every section of the United States friends of mine have been receiving letters from family friends

saying they are looking forward to their return to the states by Christmas," he stated.

The indication is that somehow or other a rumor has spread throughout the country that the boys will be brought home. Just how the rumor started may remain a mystery but one thing is certain; it should be spiked quickly. Not only are the people at home being greatly misled but the doughboys over here are depressed and aggravated when they read such statements.

#### There for Duration

"I do not think the general consensus of opinion is any other than that we shall remain here for at least the duration of the European campaigns and possibly until the end of the war with Japan."

The photographer said that dim-out regulations have been in effect in the area where he was stationed for several months. "Driving at night is very difficult with the painted headlamps for invariably Arab carts are popping up where they are least expected without lights. Arabian women with their loose flowing white garments remind you of ghosts when viewed through the gloom."

Sgt. Harrington is a son of the Rev. and Mrs. Norman C. Harrington of Easton, Md. He celebrated his twenty-first birthday near the front last December 23.

## Postwar Depression Can be Avoided, Says Sec. Perkins

BOSTON, Nov. 28 (AP)—Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins declared tonight that there would not be and need not be a depression" after the war in discussing plans of labor, industry and government to prevent postwar unemployment.

In a prepared address before the House of Representatives, the secretary explained a depression resulted when "every line of work, business and employment shrinks simultaneously."

In order to assure that unemployment for those let off from munitions jobs should be short, she urged that every help be given by the government, employers, trade unions and the general public.

"For the long pull after the immediate problem of demobilization is over all those who are interested in the welfare of workers recognize that industrial practices must be developed by private industry consciously to prevent business declines and unemployment," she said.

## Milk Dealers May Be Forced To Quit

SALISBURY, Md., Nov. 28 (AP)—In view of the Office of Price Administration order to set retail milk prices at fifteen cents per quart, dairymen in the Salisbury area said they must either curtail service or go out of business.

One large dairy is already listed by its owner for sale at public auction.

The owner of Wicomico county's largest dairy declared that delivery at the fifteen cent ceiling price had begun but it was uncertain how long some routes could be continued at the price.

## Milk Rationing Under Consideration

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28 (AP)—The government is developing a plan to ration milk but sees a good chance that it may not be necessary to put it into effect.

The plan, worked out by the Office of Price Administration, calls for rationing only in areas of acute shortage and provides larger quantities for milk for babies and children than for adults.

The War Food Administration emphasized tonight, however, that it has issued no directive for milk rationing and that the supply outlook for several months ahead does not indicate any necessity for such a step.

## Former Ohio Man Burns to Death

BALTIMORE, Nov. 28 (AP)—Carl Brown, 30, formerly of Portsmouth, Ohio, was burned to death, a fireman was injured, and five persons were overcome by smoke today in a fire that damaged a three-story rooming house on light street in South Baltimore.

Fireman James Kotmair, 32, was treated for a cut tendon in his hand, and Mrs. Onita Muiman, 23, and four children were carried from the building after being overcome.

Thirty other tenants fled from the structure safely.

"We hit them before they expected us to make a try," grinned Lt.

Fordyce Gorham, Hampstead, Pa.

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## Garrett County Farmers To Elect ACA Committee

Community, County Elections Scheduled for December 3 and 4

OAKLAND, Nov. 28—Garrett county farmers participating in the Agricultural Conservation Association program will hold community meetings on Friday, December 3, to elect community committeemen, a delegate and an alternate to the county convention. It was announced through the AAA office.

Community delegates who are elected on December 3 are to meet on December 4 in the county agent's office, Oakland, to elect the 1944 agricultural conservation committee for the county.

Dooley Guard, county chairman, announced that all members of the county association are eligible to vote at community meetings and should avail themselves of this opportunity to vote for men best qualified to operate the association during the coming year. Members of the association are the owner, operator, share tenant or share cropper on a farm who participate in the AAA soil-building or war-to-war production program.

### Nine Enter Service

Nine persons have been accepted for service from the last group of draftees who were given their final examination in Baltimore a few days ago. Four will go to the navy and five to the army.

Those selected for the navy include Bruce Jenkins, Oakland; George Kenneth Graves, Oakland; James Richard Turner, Avilton, and Ernest R. Hostetter, Johnstown, Pa.

Those selected for the navy include Herbert M. Tasker, Oakland; Lawrence Dale Grover, Accident; Oliver C. Kelley, Friendsville; Harvey Franklin Lee, Oakland, and Robert H. Cogley, Martinsburg, W. Va. Grover goes to the army air corps.

Three who were scheduled to go were given transfers to other draft boards and are supposed to be sent from their new boards with the next inductees. They are Luther M. Huff, Cumberland; Lindsay A. Gonder, Baltimore, and Franklin Perry Paugh, Pittsburgh.

### Oakland Band Expands

The Oakland band, sponsored by the Oakland Fire Department, has received a gift of fourteen or fifteen band instruments from the Stanley Coal Company at Cresson, it was announced by the committee.

The instruments are valued at approximately \$1,200.

All have been sent away to be cleaned and repaired so that they may be distributed soon to the new members of the band who are being taught by Harry S. Mickey, band leader. The cost of repairing is expected to be in the neighborhood of \$250.

The band auxiliary is planning a benefit card party for Thursday, December 9, at 8 o'clock at the Knights of Pythias hall, to help raise funds for the repair bill.

Members of the band committee expressed themselves as being highly pleased with the generosity of the coal company which had released the instruments formerly used by the Cresson band. The instruments include two basses, three alto, one trombone, one cornet, two baritones, one bass drum and two snare drums. A few other instruments owned by the former Oakland band also were sent away to be repaired.

### State Trooper Resigns

George M. Browning, who has been a member of the Maryland State Police force for the past two or three years, has resigned to accept a position as an operator at the power plant of the Pennsylvania Electric Company, at Sines.

Browning's resignation was effective November 15. No successor has been named and it was intimated that an appointment will not be made for the time being.

### Milk Payments Available

Application for the milk subsidy for October must be made at the AAA office by the last day of the month, it was announced by Dooley Guard, chairman. The Agriculture Adjustment Administration offices are in the basement of the postoffice building.

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### Pastor Is Installed

On Thursday evening, November 28, the Rev. Felix G. Robinson was installed as pastor of the Arthurdale Community church at Arthurdale, West Va.

The officiating clergy were the Rev. Alfred Lee Klaer, associate minister First Presbyterian church, Morgantown, W. Va., who delivered

### LIGHT COOKING



### Westernport Red Men Will Attend Class Adoption

WESTERNPORT, Nov. 28—Black Hawk Tribe, 131, Improved Order of Red Men, Westernport, will attend a class adoption at the wigwam of Tonkaway Tribe, Cumberland, Wednesday night. Free transportation will be provided for all members who meet at the wigwam in Westernport at 5:15 p.m.

The Great Incohonee, Thomas Dunfee, Huntington, W. Va.; Alvey Vittle, Boonsboro, great prophet; Thomas E. Bohannan, Catonsville, great keeper of Wampum; W. L. Hanna Baltimore, chief of records; Albert Holler, Westernport, great sachem; G. H. Holston, Berlin, Md., great senior sagamore; and James Phillips, Baltimore will be the honor guests.

### Inoculations Planned

Mrs. Alma Boyd, company health nurse for the West Virginia Pulp and Paper plant, Luke, announces that mill employees of the plant will be inoculated with a serum for immunization from pneumonia. The program will start in the near future.

Mrs. Boyd will be assisted in administering the serum by a representative from the Maryland Department of Health. The treatment is voluntary.

The treatment is being given in conjunction with the program being promoted by the Bureau of Industrial Hygiene of the Maryland State Department of Health.

### Personals

Mrs. Bessie Pinnell and daughter, Mrs. S. E. Hamer, Arlington, Va., formerly of Piedmont, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Hamer, Luke.

Miss Regina Hannon, Washington, D. C., is the guest of her sisters, the Misses Mary and Winifred Hannon, Fairview street, Piedmont.

Mrs. Arnold Babb and two children, Washington, D. C., are guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fredlock, Lyons street, Piedmont. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fredlock, Morgantown, W. Va., returned home after a visit to the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fredlock.

Capt. and Mrs. Donald Mellor, Frederick, spent the weekend with relatives.

E. H. Wolford, Frederick, spent the weekend with his family here. J. W. Aronhold, Mt. Storm, returned home from Reeve's clinic Saturday.

Adam Plum, Keyser, returned home from Reeve's clinic Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ravenscroft, Westernport, announced the birth of a daughter, November 27.

Mrs. Martha Joseph and daughter, Mrs. James Mears, R. N., and granddaughter, Peggy Mears, Westernport, have gone to Washington, D. C., to make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Daly and children, accompanied by Mrs. J. F. Getty, spent Sunday in Winchester, Va., with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bowen. Mrs. Getty will remain for a longer visit with her daughter, Mrs. Bowen. Dr. and Mrs. Lewis Engle, and son, Dewey, returned home this evening after spending several days in Philadelphia, Pa. They attended the Cornell-Pennsylvania foot ball game Saturday.

Sgt. Bradler is now stationed in Sicily with a medical unit of the army. His bride is residing with her parents.

Miss Thomas, when asked why she had chosen aeronautics as a career, replied, "I like math and thought that this course would lead to mathematical work."

### Special Services

The Rev. Frank A. Johnson, pastor of the Methodist church of Hambleton announced that special services will start in that church on Monday evening, November 29, and continue for two weeks closing on Saturday evening, December 11.

### Lunch Project Begins

The elementary school at Kempston, began its hot lunch program last Monday under the sponsorship of the Parent-Teacher association of the school. An average of fifty students are fed daily. The program is being carried out under the F.D.A. plan. A kitchen shower has been given by the town when home canned food raised in Victory gardens was donated.

### Physician in Hospital

Dr. M. J. Small of Parsons, was taken to the Meyer's clinic in Phillipsburg where he underwent an emergency appendectomy this week. His condition is described as satisfactory.

### Hi-Y's Hold Contest

The Parsons High School Hi-Y club is sponsoring a contest for "Miss Hi-Y". Three groups are in charge; group 1, Bruce Vance, captain; group 2, Foster Mullenaz, captain, and group 3, Bill Repair, captain.

Votes cost a penny each and the contest will end December 1. To the winner of the contest the Hi-Y will present a gift.

### Students Meet Goal

The goal set for Junior Red Cross donations for Parsons high school has been quadrupled, Mr. Wolford announced. The goal set was a penny for each student which made \$4.75 for the entire school, including junior high. The total amount received during the fifteen days of the drive was \$16.47.

the charge; the Rev. Jennings Fast, pastor of the Methodist church, Rensselaer, W. Va., who delivered the charge to the congregation, and the Rev. T. A. McMellan, pastor emeritus, Reedville, W. Va., was the officiating minister of the installation. A choir of thirty voices, trained by the Rev. Mr. Robinson, made its first appearance at this service. Social with refreshments followed, sponsored by the Women's auxiliary.

The Rev. Mr. Robinson, son of Mrs. John G. Robinson, Oakland, moved to Arthurdale from Oakland last month after residing here for the past several years. He was the founder of the Mt. Choih Festival Association at Mt. Lake Park which brought summer programs to the park for several years.

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## United Fund Drive Is Part Of the Battle for Freedom

After all that has been stated in the news columns concerning the activities of several hundred civic-minded, patriotic workers of the community and county, it seems superfluous to plead further in behalf of the combined National War Fund and Community Chest drive now under way. The people of Cumberland and elsewhere in Allegany county are both patriotic and humanitarian, have always responded to every call for support of the war and worthy institutions, and always take pride in doing so.

Nevertheless, it seems pertinent to direct attention to a fact which many persons do not seem to have realized, this being that the effort this time is much greater than ever before and that it is because of the war for freedom which is being waged by this nation, not only on the home front but also on the many battlefronts in foreign lands. Too many appear to have overlooked the obligation imposed by the war effort nationally in this connection.

As Governor O'Connor pointed out at the dinner formally launching the campaign, the people of Cumberland and Allegany county must remember the 8,149 young men and women who have gone into the armed services from this county to engage in the toughest part of the battle for this nation's existence, many of whom are facing all kinds of mortal danger and suffering deprivations in perilous places over the globe, and whose valiant efforts, involving life itself if necessary, must be sustained by evidence of the confidence and faith and loyalty and gratitude on the part of their folks back home. We can't let them down. They will not let us down.

The National War Fund will render a service of vast importance in helping to win this war. American soldiers will benefit from the generosity of the folks back home, but also it will help those who are and who will be helping the cause of the United Nations, including the peoples of China, Greece, Russia, France, Yugoslavia, Belgium, Poland, the Netherlands, Czechoslovakia and Norway, all of whom have suffered egregiously at the hands of the brutal Axis. Merchant seamen will benefit and so will our boys who are prisoners of war behind the barbed wire of German and Japanese prison camps. But for such help as is represented by this drive, and what has been given in the past, many of these captured boys will never see their homeland again.

The war is being waged successfully against the forces of aggression and the enemies of individual freedom. Right now is the time to fortify it with all possible aid for this aid given now will bring the struggle to an earlier end. It is no time for relaxation of effort, which, if sustained to the limit of ability and continued now in sufficient force, will not only bring victory nearer but will also be the means of saving thousands of American lives.

## Uncle Sam Owns Too Much Land

UNCLE SAM, who is accustomed to being called the biggest and best of nearly everything, has earned another first title—and he isn't exactly pleased. It turns out that he is the biggest landowner in the world. That is, among nations which recognize private property at all.

The Byrd joint committee of Congress has just discovered that the federal government owns one-fifth of the entire territory in continental United States. That is an area the equivalent of twenty-one states in the East, from Maine to Florida and as far west as the boundaries of Michigan, Illinois, Tennessee and Mississippi.

Much of this land has been acquired since 1940 in connection with the war effort. Purchase, often through condemnation, has been made by sixty federal agencies. As a consequence, there have been duplications, lack of uniformity in terms, surplus acreage and added tax burdens for states and communities.

It is time, the committee asserts, for these tremendous holdings to be lodged in a central unit. Further, it recommends that a process of liquidation of surplus lands be undertaken immediately.

Few persons, probably, have realized the extent of federal land purchases. For instance, Uncle Sam owns seventy-eight per cent of the entire state of Nevada. It is not revealed how much of it is state-owned, but there can be only a small chunk left for individual citizens and private organizations.

The large and populous state of California is in hock to Uncle Sam for forty-

one per cent of its area, and in many other states the percentage is high. The District of Columbia is popularly regarded as largely federal-owned, but there the figure is only twenty-five per cent.

It seems reasonable, therefore, to dispose of lands not needed by the government as soon as possible. The states have found it increasingly difficult to raise revenue with areas so large in the possession of Uncle Sam. Although it is readily apparent that, in the rush of war preparations, exact needs were not known, by this time the war effort has been geared sufficiently to permit a good guess.

## End of the War Speculations

A QUESTION which marks this stage of the war in Europe is when the end will come. Winston Churchill's recent statement that 1944 will see the fighting comes to a halt is in keeping with estimates which military men have been making for six months or more.

It is now November and Hitler's position is growing increasingly more serious. His speech at Munich clearly betrayed his worry. And his threat to put hundreds to death was obviously the frantic raving of a beaten man. There is little doubt about the accuracy of reports which have related the uneasiness within Germany and the revolts in various sections of the occupied lands.

If the Allies could launch an invasion of the western front this year, Hitler might fall this year. But the odds of weather are against that gamble. The channel is a vicious strip of water in winter, and mud in France and the low countries is the enemy of action.

Most military officials have been figuring the end to come in 1944. The more optimistic think, it will be over by spring, the more conservative believe it will last until late in the summer. Mr. Churchill seemed to be quite sound when he expressed the opinion that "we should be foolish and blameworthy if we allowed our plans of action to be based upon the prospects of an early collapse of Germany."

It must be remembered that the fall of Hitler does not necessarily mean the fall of Germany. The Prussian militarist will get rid of Hitler the moment he becomes more of a handicap than an aid. That done, they will present a still powerful army, but a new face, and then maneuver to obtain the life for three or four months.

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That would kill CCC. But nobody wants to kill the agency, which is highly valuable to farmers. So to keep it alive, Congress would again pass a resolution extending its life for three or four months.

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In this way, the Republicans could lose each time, the subsidy program could be continued, and the Republicans could picture the administration each three or four months of a presidential election year as antagonistic to farmers.

Japan speaks of a new order based on morality and righteousness. Did they, by any chance, learn those words from American missionaries?

This year the fellow who doesn't want to hunt up the Christmas tree lights can argue that he is trying to save electric current.

## The Browser's Bookshelf

By MARSHALL MASLIN

Among all the books that men and women have written, there is surely no other book like M. F. K. Fisher's "The Gastronomical Me" (Duell, Sloan and Pearce). And for these rationed irrational times it is the perfect escape book. For people at war whose cupboards are bare-bare of thick cream and bare of thick steaks and bare of any imported delicacies—this is a tantalizing substitute. No other man or woman ever wrote her life in terms of the food she has eaten and loved from childhood until now. . . . People will say: "Mrs. Fisher is always thinking about food.

It is vulgar to do that. She is too much of the earth, and hers is not the book for these desperate years." But the lady has her own answer to that question: "It seems to me that our three basic needs, for food and security and love, are so mixed and mingled and entwined that we cannot straightly think of one without the other."

It begins when she is a little thing on a ranch in Southern California, tasting the grayish-pink fury my Grandmother skinned from a spitting kettle of strawberry jam" and it takes you to hundreds of inns in Germany and France, to housekeeping in Dijon, to Italy, to Switzerland, to Mexico, to picnics on many hillsides, and on dozens of trains and ocean liners. And always whether her heart is richly in love or she is torn by grief, she writes of food and of those who prepare and serve it. Food is the great enhancer of life and food is the great appeasement; and she makes her point perfectly, with charm . . . and from the Browser's point of view she is the perfect hostess—because she does not set out to make her guest feel at home, but to seat him at a feast where the familiar will seem new and the exotic a satisfying surprise.

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## CHAPTER TWENTY-SIX

CHEZ POMEROY was one of those small shops that a woman likes to go into. Its thick carpets, its perfumed atmosphere, its frocks and bijoux, displayed not in quality, but each ware as if it were a jewel, its sleekly-dressed saleswomen, its fresh flowers, well-filled cigarette boxes on convenient little tables, all were designed to capture the interest of feminine women, to make them want to spend their money, to appeal to their natural desire for acquirement.

Wrapping a fragile blue lace dinner gown for a senator's wife, Andrea thought that if \$200 dresses were not to be her portion in life, the senator had probably been no young, passionate Jim, and she did not regret her future.

The carpet and the gathered silk drapes were of deep maroon. Brightly flowered glazed chintz covered the chairs and love-seats. Mirrors gleamed and lights shone from crystal chandelier and well-pieces.

Andrea ("Miss Andrea" she was at the shop) had loved it when she went there to work five weeks before. Her proximity to the little luxuries—clips at \$50 and frocks that ranged upward from \$79—gave her a thrill. The well-dressed women who dropped in, gossiped, smoked and casually ordered three or four hundred dollars worth of clothes intrigued her, and she watched their mannerisms, listened to the nuances of their voices. They would be, she thought, like Beatrice Archer. Beatrice Archer, who had everything—money and Deems.

When Andrea thought of Dennis, it was not with a sense that Dennis was out of her life. In fact, she had no conscious awareness of having put him in any niche. She had wanted Dennis and everything he stood for. Then Jim had come, sweeping her off her feet, and when she thought of Dennis, it was only to think that he stood for things she wouldn't ever have now. But

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in the hall, and saw that there was a letter for her from Jim, and one for Beth. She picked them both up and went up the stairs, tearing the end of the envelope with the Honolulu postmark.

She got the letter out with fingers that were trembling with excitement. This was the letter that would bring the last check and instructions for her departure.

No check came with the letter. She shook the envelope. No check fell out. She sat down on the top step in the dim hallway and looked again. Jim had not put any check in the letter. She'd have to cable him.

Beth's room was more convenient than her own, so she went in. She dropped her hat and coat on Beth's bed, helped herself to a cigarette from Beth's box and then opened the folded sheets of Jim's letter.

From across the hall came the voice of a newscaster on Lucy Stacey's radio, beatting that the Japanese government had announced that the veteran diplomat, Saburo Kurusu, was en route to Washington on a mission to establish a basis for peace in the Pacific area.

Andrea got up and closed the door. She was not interested in news broadcasts, since none of them were very cheerful. Then she sat down and began to read.

"Darling," Jim wrote in his big, almost illegible scrawl, "it's all off for a while, I am afraid."

Andrea put her cigarette in the tray. She had almost dropped it, because her hand had taken to spasmodic twitching when she got as fas as that first line.

"This is no place for women at the moment. Joe Langner stopped his girl from coming just as she was about to board the boat at San Francisco. Lots of the girls have already left and many more are preparing to clear out this week. I can't take any chances with you. I want to tell you how much I want you to be here . . ."

Andrea skipped a page, her eyes skimming over the characters hastily looking for Jim's reason, convinced he had lost his mind. She had never known Jim was a worry wort, and now she was flaming with disappointment and anger.

". . . you don't get the picture we do out here. War in the Pacific never entered my mind a year ago, but I'm told that folks here have been expecting it momentarily. Europe seems pretty far away when you're in the land of waving palms and coconuts, and Japan seems too darned close."

Hot tears had begun to roll down Andrea's face, and she had to brush them away before she could read further.

"Old Tojo is the boy who's in the driver's seat, and how he's going to take the terms for peace in the Pacific nobody can guess. I think we underrate our little brown brothers. I don't see them accepting terms that call for lifting the military encirclement and getting out of China, not even if the economic blockade against them is removed. It's my guess that they're going to take advantage of our necessity to watch the west, and hell may pop. We don't expect that anything too bad can happen here, but a token bomb, or a bit of inside stuff might make it unpleasant and unsafe."

"Economic blockade," Andrea cried to herself. "What's that got to do with us? I've got three dinner dresses, a whole trolley, and he writes about economic blockade!"

Jim wrote a whole page about how much he loved her, what days and nights meant to him now that he couldn't expect her, but that was only appeasement stuff to a girl who had plans like Andrea's.

"Better settle down and don't think about tomorrow," he said at the end. "Let me do all the worrying for us. As soon as it's feasible, we'll be together. Meanwhile, don't stop loving me, but have a good time, and go to Beth when anything troubles you. Chin up, sweetheart, and consider it kiss . . . There was more.

Andrea was pacing the floor when Beth came home.

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**SCENE FROM "THE IRON MAJOR"**

PAT O'BRIEN (right), starred in the title role, and Robert Ryan, featured in the important part of his former team-mate and lifelong friend, Father Donovan, are shown in this scene from "The Iron Major," now at the Liberty theater. The RKO Radio picture is based on the life story of Frank Cavanaugh, esteemed football coach and hero of World War I.

**Snappy Twosome****Theaters****"Iron Major" Glows With Sincerity, Realism**

Glowing with sincerity and realism, RKO Radio's new starring vehicle for Pat O'Brien, "The Iron Major," now at the Liberty theater, proved to be an impressive human document.

The film brings to life the inspiring story of the late Major Frank Cavanaugh, famous football coach and World War I hero who led his regiment at Verdun with the same dauntless spirit with which he led his grid squads at Dartmouth and Holy Cross and Fordham.

A man who symbolized America and the American ideal of fighting for what a man believes, Cavanaugh imbued his football squads with his own attitude, whipped them to a pride and loyalty and determination that outweighed odds of size and strength, and brought his teams long strings of victories.

**Rooney and Garland Are Tops in "Girl Crazy"**

Mickey Rooney and Judy Garland are teamed together for the eighth time in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's lighthearted filmization of the smash Broadway hit of a few seasons ago, "Girl Crazy," now playing at the Maryland theater.

The original Gershwin score is retained and played by none other than Tommy Dorsey and his band. Judy sings the favorites, "Bidin' My Time" and "Embraceable You" among many others, and dances two production numbers, proving the young singer is fast becoming one of the best dancers on the screen today.

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his father to send him to Cody college in Arizona, in the hope Mickey will reform. Mickey arrives in Arizona to discover Ginger Gray, played by Judy, granddaughter of the dean, is the only girl at the school. He falls in love with her promptly, but Judy wants nothing to do with the tenderfoot quitter.

**"Pride of the Yankees"**

Full of Factual Events

A real chapter in sports history is that upon which Samuel Goldwyn has built the gripping dramatic structure of "The Pride of the Yankees." Gary Cooper starring vehicle now at the Garden theater. It is the colorful career of the late Lou Gehrig.

Covering the period between 1914 and 1939, the picture presents in vivid fashion the story of Gehrig's determined progress from a ragged youngster on Amsterdam Avenue, in New York, to one of the most popular players the baseball world has ever known. It is a success story of a kind that could happen only in America, and in it is woven the telling romance that spurred the famous athlete on to fight bravely against the fate that finally conquered him.

Teresa Wright has the role of the loyal Eleanor Gehrig and Babe Ruth and Walter Brennan head the featured cast.

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## Brownie Troops Will Make Toys for Sick Children

Will Be Distributed at Christmas in Memorial Hospital Ward

Members of the LaVale Brownie troop planned to make toys for the children's ward at Memorial hospital at a meeting Saturday afternoon in the LaVale fire hall. The toys will be distributed to the children at Christmas.

After the business session, the monthly birthday party of the troop was held. At this party all girls who celebrated birthdays during the month of November were honored. Guests of honor at Saturday's party were Harriet Shaffer, Barbara Stark, Patsy Corle, Jacqueline Diehl and Marytha Lou Phillips. Each was presented with a special Brownie pin.

Rehearsal for the play "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," which will be presented early next year by the troop, was held after the party. The play is being directed by Mrs. Frank Tepper and Mrs. Douglas Smith, troop leaders.

The LaVale Girl Scout troop, No. 5, will entertain the Brownie troop Friday evening in the fire hall. Mrs. Harry Smith, leader of Troop five, will be in charge.

A special meeting of the Brownies will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in the fire hall for the purpose of making Christmas gifts for mothers of the troop members. Each girl will make a gift for her respective mother. Mrs. Tepper and Mrs. Smith will supervise the gift making.

## Miss Sirk's Marriage To R. L. Heishman Is Announced Here

Miss Hilda Williams returned to her home, 220 Schley street, Sunday, after spending the week visiting in Hagerstown and Blue Ridge Summit.

Mrs. William Donaldson, LaVale, is a patient in Memorial hospital, where she underwent a surgical operation November 22.

Miss Mary Virginia Shafferman and Miss Helen Heuer returned today after spending the weekend in Washington.

Miss Margaret Kelly, 314 Wallace street, was admitted to Allegany Hospital last evening as a surgical patient.

Miss Veronica Cosgrove, 205 Wallace street, returned from a five months' visit in Albuquerque and Raton, New Mexico, points in Wyoming, California and Colorado.

Miss Jean Moore, Pittsburgh, is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bucy, 108 Seymour street.

The ceremony was performed November 25 in the First Presbyterian manse, Lonaconing, with the Rev. Thomas R. Dixon officiating. Miss Helen McFerran was the attendant.

The bride is a graduate of Allegany high school, and Frostburg State Teachers college. She is a member of the faculty of Columbia Street school. The bridegroom is associated with the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company, Washington, D. C., where the couple will reside after February 1.

Miss Consuelo Miller, Washington, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rufus C. Dorsey, Wiley Ford.

Ralph W. Stein, 450 Walnut street, returned home after being a patient for the past month in Allegany hospital.

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## Steagles Score 27-14 Upset Win Over Redskins

Baugh Far Off Form; Wash-  
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WASHINGTON, Nov. 28 (AP)—The Pitt first downs against Washington and sprinted to a 27-14 upset victory over the Washington Redskins today in a National Football League game before 35,826 customers.

The league champions, who were held to a 14-14 tie by the Phil-Pitts in their last meeting, didn't look like the team that defeated the Chicago Bears a week ago. Slingin' Sammy Baugh was far off form and a hardcharging Steagle line smothered the Washington ground attack. It was Washington's first league loss.

A brief flurry of flying fists in the third period resulted in the election of the Steagles' Gen Kish, and the Redskins' Willie Wilkin. Wilkin swung at Kish after Kish roughed up Masterson on a pass play.

The Steagles were able to shake Roy Zimmerman, Jack Hinkle and John Butler loose for nineteen Phil-Pitt first downs against Washington's ten. They counted a touchdown in the first period, added another in the third and crashed over for two more in the final stanza.

A sixty-five first period Steagle march was climaxed with Bob Thurbon's six yard slice off tackle for a score. Zimmerman added the extra point with the first of three placekick conversions.

Zimmerman threw two passes to Tony Bova early in the third and then sent Thurbon over tackle for the marker.

The Redskins counted a few minutes later when Joe Zeno blocked a Zimmerman punt on the Phil-Pitt thirty-four. Bangi and Moore worked the Statue-of-Liberty play for fourteen yards and Masterson took a pass from Slingin' Sam over the goal. Masterson converted.

Ernie Steele, former University of Washington star, scored on a forty-seven yard dash, scored on the fourth after Zimmerman's interception of a Baugh toss.

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## Vendor's Lien, Race Thoroughbred, Dies

CHARLES TOWN, W. Va., Nov. 28—Vendor's Lien, one of the most popular thoroughbreds to race over the Charles Town Jockey Club track, is dead.

The seven-year-old gelding son of Vander Pool-Lady Trilby, owned by E. B. Lee, of Leesburg, Va., shipped here last week from New England to be made ready for the eighteenth day meeting opening Monday and en route developed pneumonia.

It was only this summer here, the big chestnut became a stellar attraction by winning eight straight races and then moved to Garden State park, Camden, N. J., to win another and he made it ten in a row by gaining another purse at Ascot park, Akron, Ohio, before tasting defeat.

## Bears Top Cards To Win Western Division Crown

### Luckman Sets New Record of 28 Touchdown Passes in One Season

CHICAGO, Nov. 28 (AP)—The Chicago Bears won the Western division championship of the National Football League for the fourth straight year by defeating the Chicago Cardinals, 35 to 24, but they had to come from behind three times—on each occasion on a touchdown pass by Sid Luckman.

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## Magnates Gather For Baseball's Winter Meetings

### Minor Loop Vote Row and Duration Plans Sub for Player Deals

By SID FEDER

NEW YORK, Nov. 28 (AP)—Baseball's winter meetings, which ordinarily provide a busy market in player material, open for a week's run tomorrow, but about the only "ivory" in sight will be an elk's tooth dangling from a delegate's watch chain.

The bottom has just about dropped out of the ivory market, partly because any guy who has some on hand is hanging on to it, and partly because the traders, as they gathered today, had a lot more important things to think about.

Chief of these, naturally, is what kind of stew is on the fire for 1944 for both major and minor leagues, as well as what's cooking for the end of the war and the time the diamond industry will get back to business as usual—instead of "as best we can."

A committee of three will be named to get things ready for that day.

#### Hands Will Be Played Close

Most of the magnates still will be looking for new faces and the few minor dealers that might be made, but the boss-men now are convinced that a bird on the roster is worth two in a trade, particularly if the bird can hit within shouting distance of 300, can throw a reasonable facsimile of a curve and can go after a fly ball without fear of being decapitated.

The result is all hands are playing it close in the current meetings.

Scheduled are separate sessions for minor leagues Monday and Tuesday and the annual party of the National Association (the minors) on Wednesday, to be followed by the major loop get-togethers.

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#### Vote Control Issue

The minors have enough hot stuff on their agenda to make a Mexican chile party sound like an ice cream social. They're in for a real "rasse" over National Association vote control. The American Association and International League double-A loops will vote the value changed from one per league to ten for a double-A loop, eight for an A-1, six for an "A," etc, down to one for Class D.

National Association President W. G. Bramham, who is up for re-election, and several smaller leagues maintain this is a "vote grab." One report says the plan has the Southern Association and Texas League ready to holler to have their rating raised from A-1 to double-A.

And the Texas loop, which has six clubs ready to resume operations next season, is leading an invasion force of sixteen leagues that suspended in 43 and now are storming for a return of voting privileges in the National Association. These sixteen, although they didn't operate, continued to pay National Association dues and maintained their territorial rights.

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## Whiteman's 60 Points Gives Him City Football Scoring Honors

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Last fall, Snyder, in leading the Campers to an unbeaten season,

gathered thirteen touchdowns and twenty-nine extra points and also booted two field goals. Robert Martin, of Fort Hill, second last season, had more points than Whiteman did this year. Martin made fifteen touchdowns and four conversions for ninety-four markers.

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Walter Davis, who booted sixteen points after touchdowns the fall, snared fourth place with thirty-four tallies while a teammate, Leonard Kemp, was fifth with thirty. Joe Carter, LaSalle quarterback, was sixth with twenty-five; Jim Hines, Allegany, seventh with twenty-four; Lou Baker, Allegany, eighth with eighteen, and Ralph Beard, Fort Hill, ninth with fourteen. Six boys tied for tenth place with a dozen points each.

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## New Ventriloquist Program Will Be Offered on Radio

Paul Mitchell Will Provide Competition for Bergen and MacCarthy

By C. E. BUTTERFIELD

NEW YORK, Nov. 28—(UPI)—The MBS network has decided to give some ventriloquist competition to NBC's Edgar Bergen and Charlie MacCarthy. So starting Monday night at 9:30 it is starting a new variety series built around the voice antics of young Paul Winchell and

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take over after Alfred Wallenstein went to the Los Angeles Symphony. It is the fifteenth anniversary of this program whose basic format has never changed in all the years. Richard Crooks, tenor, is now the soloist. Others who have led the orchestra in the earlier days were Hugo Mariani and the late William Daley.

Isabel Manning Hewson and her housewife hints, having transferred all of her schedule from the Blue, is being heard five times a week on CBS at 9:45 a. m.

Lily Pons does the guest artist spot again in the Don Voorhees concert on NBC at 9 p. m. This same hour on CBS will be presented

his knee sister, Jerry Mahoney. There also will be the songs of Imogene Carpenter and the music of Russell Bennett's orchestra.

Having sparked last Friday as fight night for the first weekend in November, MBS instead will have something in that line for tomorrow night at 10. It is the scheduled lightweight encounter between Bobby Ruffin and Sammy Angott. It comes from Madison Square Garden.

\* Anniversary Event

A celebration comes to the NBC Concert at 8:30 now presenting the orchestra direction of Howard Barlow, who recently signed at CBS to

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CBS—10:30 a. m. Songs out of

Burl Ives; 1:45 p. m. The Goldbergs; 4 Home Front Matinee; 5 Fun with Dunn.

BLUE—11 a. m. Breakfast at Sardis; 12:30 p. m. Farm and Home program; 2:30 p. m. Ladies Be Seated; 4 Blue Frolics See You.

MBS—10:30 a. m. Shady Valley Folks; 2 p. m. Cedric Foster comments; 3:30 Yankee House Party; 4:30 Full Speed Ahead.

Mushroom cellars in Paris reach 180 feet underground.

## 155 Prisoners Give Blood to Plasma Bank

HAGERSTOWN, Nov. 28 (UPI)—They could not very well get out to serve their country, so 155 prisoners confined to the state penal farm at Roxbury did the next best thing today—they donated a pint of blood each to the plasma bank.

Members of the Baltimore unit of the American Red Cross, who took the blood said the spirit of cooperation among the prisoners was excellent.

The word bund, meaning an embankment, originated in India.

## BARCLAY ON BRIDGE

By SHEPARD BARCLAY

"The Authority on Authorities"

### ESTABLISH LOW CARDS

IF YOU have seen enough bridge by both classes of players, you will realize that the differences between the expert's game and that of the average competitor extend far beyond the amount of accuracy by which the star gauges his acts. His choice of play is more efficient, even when armed with equal information. Forgetting the fancy plays, which the average player does not understand very well, he makes much abler use of his entries from one hand to another and of suit-establishment procedure as a means of avoiding risky finesses.

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♦ 10 8 7 3

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(Dealer) East. North-South vulnerable

East South West North

1 1 1 1 Pass 2 2

3 3 3 3 Pass 4 4

Pass 5 5 Pass 5 5

Pass 6 6

An average player, after ruffing the second club with his spade 2, would see that the contract is safe if the heart finesse would work, as that would set up a card on which South's losing diamond could be discarded. But the finesse wouldn't work and wasn't tried by this very able declarer.

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### Tomorrow's Problem

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## Funeral Notices

POWELL—James H. aged 72, Wiley Ford, W. Va., died Saturday, November 27th, in Memorial Hospital. The body will remain at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Anna Bowser, 112 S. Centre St., where friends and relatives will be received. Funeral services Tuesday, 1 P. M., Church of the Brethren, Wiley Ford. Rev. Vernon N. Shandwick will officiate. Interment in Alluvial Cemetery, W. Va. Arrangements by Baal's Funeral Service. 11-28-11-TN

SPERL—Alexander, 65, Railroad street, Lonaconing, Md., died Thursday, Nov. 25, at Baltimore, Md. The body is at his home in Lonaconing, where friends and relatives will be received and interred. Funeral services, 2 P. M. Interment will be in Oak Hill cemetery, Lonaconing. Arrangements by Baal's Funeral Service. 11-27-11-TN

WILLISON—Eugene B., aged 92, died Saturday, November 28th at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Anna Bowser, 112 S. Centre St., Wiley Ford. The body will remain at Wofford Funeral Home, where friends and relatives will be received until 2 P. M. Monday. Interment will be taken to the Hardinger residence, Funeral services Tuesday, 2:30 P. M. in Elliott Memorial Church. Rev. William Elliott officiates. Interment in Hillcrest Cemetery. Arrangements by Stein's Funeral Service. 11-29-11-TN

WAINGOLD—Samuel, J. aged 22, son of Samuel and Alice (Knight) Waingold, 314 N. Centre St., died Saturday, November 28th. The body will remain at the home where friends and relatives will be received. Funeral services Monday, 2:30 P. M. at the home of Ralph Sanders, who officiates. Interment in East View Cemetery. Arrangements by Stein's Funeral Service. 11-29-11-TN

## Funeral Directors

Kight Funeral Home  
Funeral and Ambulance Service  
Phone 1454 Day or Night  
309-311 Decatur St.

PHONE 27  
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107 FREDERICK ST-CUMBERLAND

## In Memoriam

In loving memory of our father, Ernest Williams, who died one year ago, November 28th, 1941.  
One who has passed, recall to live;  
But in their tears, we see  
Our dreams and glories of tomorrow—  
Through them our spirits smile, to see,  
Our reunited family.  
With you, our Father, who hath died,  
Living again in glorified WIFE and CHILDREN.  
11-29-11-TN

## 2—Automotive

## 1941 PONTIAC 4-door sedan, heater, radio, very low mileage. Apply Hyndman Motor Co. 11-25-28-T

1941 1/2 TON FORD panel; 1937 4-door "6" Pontiac. Trade or terms. Dingle Esso Station. 11-1-T

1936 BUICK, good condition, \$25. Call Frostburg 491 before 7 p. m. or 297-5 after 7 p. m. 11-28-33-T

1938 CHEVROLET convertible coupe, good tires, runs good, \$150. Write F. L. Biss, Route 4. 11-28-33-T

1936 CHEVROLET 2-door sedan, motor in excellent condition, good tires. Phone 3342-R. 11-28-21-T

USED CARS at Cumberland's Lowest Prices. M. G. K. Motor Co. 2-26-T

1941 PONTIAC Convertible Coupe. Radio and heater. \$1500

1941 Packard Six Coupe. Radio and heater. \$1250

1941 STUDABAKER Champion 4-door Sedan. Radio and heater. \$975

1940 PLYMOUTH 4-door Special Deluxe Sedan. \$850

1940 CHEVROLET 2-door Master Deluxe Sedan. \$850

1940 DESOTO 2-door Sedan. \$850

1940 STUDABAKER Dictator 4-door Sedan. \$850

1939 STUDABAKER 2-door Sedan. \$725

1940 STUDABAKER Champion Club Sedan. \$725

1939 Dodge 4-door Sedan. \$495

1939 PLYMOUTH 4-door Sedan. \$495

1937 PLYMOUTH 2-door Sedan. \$365

1937 Ford Business Coupe. \$370

1935 Ford 2-door Sedan. \$275

1935 PLYMOUTH Convertible Coupe. \$375

1935 PONTIAC 4-door Sedan. \$375

## Two Men Killed, Six Are Injured In Highway Crash

Samuel Waingold, Jr., and Linne C. Welsh Die in Route 28 Accident

Two men were killed and six persons were injured about midnight Saturday in a head-on collision three miles south of this city on Route 28.

Those killed were Samuel Waingold, Jr., 22, of 514 North Mechanic street, this city, and Linne Clyde Welsh, 22, of 107 Blaauw avenue, this city.

Admitted to Memorial hospital were Twila Nazeiro, 16, of 31 North Liberty street; Thomas Lowery, 17, of 510 City View terrace; Margaret Lambert, 17, Virginia avenue, and Wilma Williams, 1414 Virginia avenue.

Treated for slight injuries were Kenneth Cole, 16, LaVale, and Josephine Kligain, 21, of 210 Spring street.

### Cars Collide Head-on

According to Trooper L. E. Proudfoot of the West Virginia State Police, who investigated, the head-on collision occurred Saturday about midnight when a car driven by Waingold, traveling south, collided with a car, traveling toward this city, driven by Welsh.

Both cars were practically demolished, Trooper Proudfoot said.

The Welsh car left the highway and stopped in a field below. The Waingold car was resting on the west shoulder of the road when police arrived, Trooper Proudfoot said.

The first report on the accident was made by Charles A. Snyder who lives nearby and heard the crash from his home. Snyder set the time as approximately midnight.

Also assisting in the investigation were Trooper R. R. Karrickoff of the West Virginia State Police, Chief J. A. Arrington, of the Ridgeley police, and Troopers Graydon S. Dunlap and Charles D. McLane of the Maryland State Police.

### Four Persons Admitted

Twila Nazeiro, riding with Waingold, was admitted to the hospital at 1 a.m. suffering from a lacerated left wrist, attaches said.

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### Regains Consciousness

Margaret Lambert, riding with Welsh, was admitted to Memorial hospital in an unconscious condition but regained consciousness yesterday morning. She suffered lacerations of the left cheek and upper and lower lip and a deep laceration of the bridge of the nose, attaches said.

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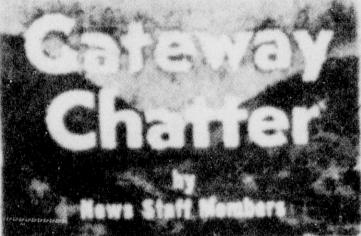
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## Fire Damages Home Of Ralph Gilpin

### South End Firemen Blame Overheated Hot Air Duct for Blaze

Among the numerous letters received from servicemen by Charles G. Smith, commander of Fort Cumberland Post No. 13 of the American Legion, is one from Pvt. E. E. Beattie, Camp Crowder, Mo., who writes:

"Received your hospitality card and was greatly surprised as well as pleased.

"When I left home I thought the only person that was interested was my wife—and the draft board."

Fort Cumberland Post's hospital cards are honored in Legion homes throughout the country and are making a big hit with our fighting men.

John K. "Jake" Snyder, who is often referred to as the mayor of LaVale, gets a kick out of the story told by a local Methodist minister about the Virginia mountaineer who was lamenting the fact that his wife had been bedfast for some time and as a result he was required to do the household chores of washing the clothes and dishes taking care of the baby and so forth.

Then as a grand finale to his story of woe, the mountaineer seriously remarked:

"Sometimes I wish she'd get well."

The News staff got a hearty chuckle Thanksgiving eve when a local newspaper reporter, while on his way home, mislaid a package containing a cake at a well known downtown tavern.

When he called to find out if the package was there, the fellow who answered the telephone, replied:

"Yes, there's a package here but no one will attempt to open it because they're afraid it's a booby trap."

Bob Smith, superintendent of Sylvan Retreat, was reminiscing the other evening about some of the "close shaves" he has had since taking over his post at the county institution.

One fellow in particular tried to liquidate the one-time Barton tonsorial artist but he failed to do it in three tries.

The first time the unruly inmate tore one of the posts from his bed and slammed Bob across the stomach with it. But Bob refused to go down for a full count.

On another occasion Smith was the recipient of a wallop from a board which he received across his back.

The third time Bob was kicked in the shins but he shook it off like a true Bartontite.

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A waste paper collection drive will be conducted in Ridgeley Saturday, according to Scoutmaster James M. Perry, who said that newspapers, magazines and cardboard should be turned in separate bundles about twelve inches high and placed on curbs or porches by 9 a.m. Saturday. Scouts will make the collection.

The sale of licenses promises to be even greater by the time the six-day deer season rolls around on December 6.

Both Central and South End firemen were summoned to the fire.

**Brother Justin To Speak**

Brother Justin of LaSalle High school will speak at the regular meeting of the Exchange club to night at the Golden Gate tea room. He will speak on "The Part Christian Brothers Are Playing in World Education."

The condition may exist for several weeks, Dougherty added.

**Garbage Removal Delay Explained**

Explaining that some of his equipment was damaged by fire several days ago and that there will be delays in hauling, Emmett A. Dougherty, collection contractor, says that householders leave garbage and ash cans on the curb until collection trucks make their rounds.

The condition may exist for several weeks, Dougherty added.

**MRS. RICHARDSON RITES**

Services for Mrs. Martha Brown Richardson, 64, Cresapton, wife of Jacob Richardson, who died Thursday in Allegany hospital, were conducted yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the Cresapton Methodist church by the Rev. Frank Shrader. Interment was in Hillcrest burial park.

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**Other Local News**

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## Prompt Response J. P. Schellhaus To Fund Campaign Is Recommended Urged by Walsh

### Expresses Confidence Goal Can Be Reached by Immediate Solicitation

With almost twenty-five per cent of the campaign goal reached by noon last Friday, Attorney General William C. Walsh, general chairman of the National War Fund-Community Chest drive, expressed confidence last night that prompt solicitation and equally prompt response should put the county well over the \$93,000 quota by this Friday.

In his radio address, which concluded to the intersection of Virginia and Laing avenues yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock when a short circuit caused a fire in a car owned by Rockwell Graham, Mt. Savage, there was no damage.

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